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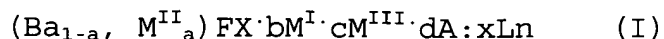
In response to the Office Action of February 20, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

6. (Amended) A method for manufacturing a radiation image conversion panel according to claim 1, wherein the step of dispersing includes providing a calcined product of a stimuable phosphor that is a rare earth-activated alkaline earth metal fluoro-halide based phosphor, represented by a constitutional formula (I) as follows:



wherein, M^{II} indicates at least one kind of alkaline earth metal selected from the group consisting of Sr, Ca, and Mg; M^{I}

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